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- (XX) Petition to Make Special for New Application.
- (XX) Declaration by Attorney in Support of Petition to Make Special Because of Actual Infringement under 37 CFR 1.102 and MPEP § 708.02
- (XX) Information Disclosure Statement containing a detailed discussion of the references deemed most closely related to the subject matter of the claims and a Form PTO-1449 with attachments.
- (XX) Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

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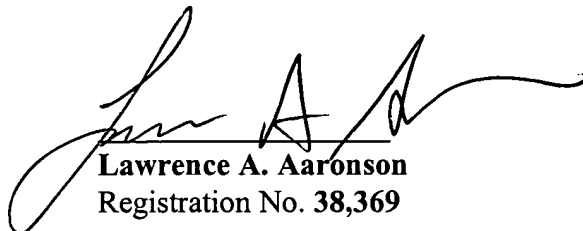
- ( ) A verified statement claiming small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- ( ) Statement to Support Filing and Submission of DNA/Amino Acid Sequences in Accordance with 37 CFR §§ 1.821 through 1.825.
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